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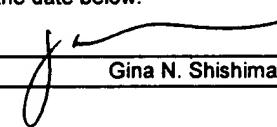
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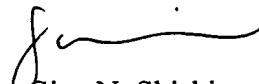
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RESPONSE TO SECOND RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT DATED JUNE 18, 2002

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In response to this second restriction requirement that the Examiner imposed, Applicants traverse the restriction. The claims under consideration are the Group I claims previously elected—claims 18-21 and 49-64 (pending claims attached as Appendix A). They are directed to